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Applicants : Laurent PAQUET  
Serial No : 09/486,790 Group Art Unit: 2834  
Filed : June 26, 2000 Examiner: T. Nguyen  
For : MOTOR VEHICLE ALTERNATOR WITH WINDING  
INSULATED FROM THE HOUSING

Commissioner of Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

This paper responds to the Office Action dated June 6, 2001. No additional fees are believed to be necessitated by this Amendment. If any additional fees are due, the Commissioner is authorized to charge our deposit account no. 13-4500 (Order No. 3401-4022).

**REMARKS**

In the present Office Action, the Examiner required restriction of the application to one of the following inventions:

- A. Claims 1-9 and 13-17 drawn to structure of an alternator assembly used in an electric motor, classified in class 310, subclass 263; or
- B. Claims 18-20 drawn to method of making an alternator, classified in class 29, subclass 596.

Applicant hereby elects for prosecution the invention as described in Group A. It is understood that upon allowance of a generic claim, all of the above species (elected and non-elected) will be considered together.

The Examiner is requested to telephone applicant's undersigned counsel at the number noted below if it will advance the prosecution of this application.

Respectfully submitted,

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